

## DATA BARED IN DODD CASE

### Senator's Lawyers Present Documents On Trip

Washington, June 3 (AP)—Senator Dodd (D., Conn.) was quoted today as saying in 1964 that he had to take a trip to West Germany because "I promised Julius I'd do this for him and he's a good fellow."

The Julius mentioned is Julius Klein, a Chicago public relations man and a registered agent of West German business interests.

In another development, lawyers for Dodd produced batches of documents to show that Dodd went to West Germany, not as an "errand boy" for Klein, as depicted by two columnists, but on official business dealing with United States-German relations.

#### Behind Closed Doors

All this took place behind closed doors but a version was relayed to newsmen by Jack Anderson, one of the columnists.

The background is this:

Drew Pearson and Anderson, in a series of columns based in part on photocopies of hundreds of documents from Dodd's files, have accused the Senator of misconduct.

Dodd, in turn, has sued the columnists for libel. At first he asked \$5,000,000 damages, but later amended his complaint, dropping some of his claims for damages, and reducing the amount to \$2,000,000.

The amended complaint charges that Pearson and Anderson abetted former Dodd employees in a conspiracy to steal papers from the Senator's office; that they falsely alleged he did favors for Klein in return for valuable gifts, and that he improperly acted in 1961 in concert with Michael Struelens, a representative of Katanga province, to frustrate United States policy in the Congo.

#### Became Disillusioned

In preparation for the trial, lawyers have been taking pretrial statements from James P. Boyd, Jr. Boyd, a former \$23,000-a-year administrative assistant to Dodd, has said he became disillusioned with the Senator and that he was one of those instrumental in the photocopying of Dodd files.

Federal Judge Alexander Holtzoff has barred newsmen from the pretrial deposition-taking, but columnist Anderson has been present as a principal in the suit. Saying that he was present in the news, he read reporters notes of what he said took place today.